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ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE

THURSDAY EVENING, SEPT. 19, 1907.

Fox Terrier's Points.

The fox terrier is the most intelligent of all the smaller breeds, and there is hardly a trick that he cannot learn in a very few lessons. He is usually healthy, makes the best kind of a watch dog, and his ability to catch and kill rats and other vermin is another story. In symmetry, size and character the dog must present a generally gay, lively and active appearance. The terrier, like the foxhound, must on no account be "leggy," nor must he be too short in the leg. He should stand like a cleverly made hunter, covering a lot of ground, yet with a short back, as before stated. He will then attain the highest degree of propelling power, together with the greatest length of stride that is compatible with the length of his body. Weight is not a certain criterion of a terrier's fitness for his work—general shape, size and contour are the main points, and if a dog can gallop and stay and follow his fox up a drain it matters little what his weight is to a pound or so, though roughly speaking, it may be said that he should not scale over twenty pounds.

—Eugene R. Cole in Home Magazine.

A Patient Snake.

One does not often attribute the virtue of patience to a snake. "Letters From a Surgeon," however, contains an anecdote in which its existence is evident. Dr. Perry, surgeon of the Twentieth Massachusetts, awakened in camp one morning to find himself tightly held in the clutch of Dr. Hayward, his senior officer.

"Don't move, John, till I say three!" ordered the senior sharply. "Then seize my hands and spring to your feet. One, two, three!"

At the word Dr. Perry jumped, and he never made a cleaner leap. He was just in time to see a moccasin dive under the coat which he had been using for a pillow. Armed with sticks, they dragged the coat away, but saw only the hole into which the snake had glided. The surgeon had accidentally blocked the entrance to the reptile's abode, and it had lain all coiled under the back of his neck, waiting patiently for him to move so it could enter.

The Wrong Man.

"Now, my dear sir," said the life assurance agent persuasively, "I wonder if I might put before you one or two powerful reasons why you should insure your life?"

"Certainly, my dear sir," replied the victim; "fire away. I shall be delighted to listen to you."

Accordingly the life assurance man delivered a lecture of nearly half an hour's duration on the advantages of life insurance, setting forth all the reasons why his listener should insure his life immediately for a large amount. When he was done the other man said: "Well, that's not bad, but nothing new."

"Nothing new?" asked the life assurance man. "What do you mean?"

"Oh, well," said the other, "you see, I'm a life assurance agent myself, and I wanted to see if you had any new ideas to give me."

"The Ring of the Nibelungen" was first produced in London under the special patronage of King Edward VII. when he was Prince of Wales. He loyally remained in his box from beginning to end, although he confessed afterward that it was the hardest work he ever did. When Wotan came on the darkened stage to an accompaniment of discords the prince took a doze and an hour later was awakened by a double forte crash of the large orchestra. He fell asleep again, but in fifteen minutes was startled by another tremendous crash and found Wotan still singing against time. After the performance the prince told the manager in great confidence that if there was a Wotan in other Wagner operas he would withdraw his patronage.

Even the Sultan.

On one occasion when the famous Nasr-ed-din was pressed for money he went to the sultan for permission to levy a tax of a penny on every man in Turkey who was afraid of his wife. The sultan gave him leave, and at the end of a few months Nasr-ed-din returned with a hundred mules laden with gold. "But what am I to get out of all this?" inquired the sultan. "I have brought you a beautiful Georgian slave," replied the eunuch. "Hush!" said the sultan, glancing over his shoulder. "Don't let my wife hear! And the wily Nasr-ed-din had sold another penny to his store."

The One Exception.

The topic of debate at the Poet's club meeting was, "Which of the Sexes Contributes Most to Life's Happiness?"

"I think," said a woman called upon to speak on the feminine side, "that there is no doubt that man contributes most to the life happiness of woman—that is" (upon second thought) "unless he happens to be her husband."

Not Innocent.

"Tommy, I'm going to punish you severely."

"What for, pa?"

"Now, don't try that innocence game. I know all the bad things you've done today."

"No, you don't, pa. You don't know where I hid the strap you whack me with."

Care For Profanity.

The cure for profanity—reformers and educators please make a note—is merely wit enough to handle your words so that swearing will seem like baby talk in comparison.—Patriot.

One might call employment agencies the laboratories in which human lives are vivisectioned.—Phelps.

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